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REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

January 11, 2019

7:45 a.m.

1740 W. Adams St.

Conference Room A (1st Floor)

Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona State Board of Psychologist Examiners was called to order by Chairman Bohanske at 7:45 a.m. on January 11, 2019, no Executive sessions were held. Board members appeared telephonically.

2. ROLL CALL

Board Members Present

Bob Bohanske, Ph.D. – Chair

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Staff Present

Jenna Jones, Executive Director

Heather Broaddus, Deputy Director

Kathy Fowkes, Licensing Specialist

Attorney General's Office

Jeanne Galvin, Esq.

3. REMARKS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Bohanske thanked Board members and staff for their hard work and dedication. Dr. Bohanske introduced and welcomed new Board member, Matthew Meier, Psy.D.

4. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

There were no requests to speak at this time.

5. COUNSEL UPDATE

Ms. Galvin stated that the case involving Dr. Gray is still pending with the Superior Court. She stated that the briefings are complete and the Court should render a decision within 60 days. Ms.

Galvin stated that the Board received a favorable decision in the case involving Dr. DenBoer. Ms. Galvin stated that once the judgement is filed Dr. DenBoer will have 35 days to appeal the decision. Ms. Galvin stated that Dr. DenBoer's attorney indicated that an appeal will be filed. Ms. Galvin will continue to keep the Board apprised of the cases.

6. CONSENT AGENDA - DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION

Dr. Meier and Ms. Shreeve recused from voting on the December 7, 2018, Regular and Executive session minutes. Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to approve the items on the Consent Agenda. The motion carried 9-0.

(a) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- December 7, 2018, Regular Session (Dr. Meier and Ms. Shreeve recused)
- December 7, 2018, Executive Session (Dr. Meier and Ms. Shreeve recused)

(b) DISCUSSION/DECISION REGARDING PSYCHOLOGY APPLICATIONS

i. REQUESTING APPROVAL TO SIT FOR EXAMINATION (EPPP) ONLY

- David Dubner, Ph.D.
- Kareen Schellack, Psy.D.
- Philip Paul Randall, Ph.D.

ii. REQUESTING APPROVAL TO SIT FOR EPPP AND LICENSURE

- Ashley A. Rupp, Psy.D.
- Aynsley Babinski, Psy.D.
- Jennifer Seeley McGee, Ph.D.
- Karen Hawk, Psy.D.
- Micah Mammen, Ph.D.
- Sara L. Cole, Psy.D.
- Stephanie Middaugh, Psy.D.

iii. REQUESTING APPROVAL OF LICENSURE BY WAIVER

- Cary Jordan, Ph.D.

iv. REQUESTING APPROVAL OF LICENSURE BY CREDENTIAL

- David P. Davis, Ph.D.
- Julie Rippeth, Ph.D.
- Stephanie A. Stowman, Ph.D.
- Thor Johansen, Psy.D.
- Timothy L. Bowers, Psy.D.

v. REQUESTING APPROVAL TO SIT FOR THE EXAMINATION (EPPP) AND TEMPORARY LICENSURE

- Carolyn Julia Brown, Psy.D.

(c) DISCUSSION/DECISION REGARDING BEHAVIOR ANALYST APPLICATIONS

- Allison Paige Thompson, M.Ed.
- Alma Chase Staheli, M.S.
- Angela Rae Hepworth, M.S.
- Brittany L. Hill, M.Ed.
- Dylan Jane Aller, M.S.
- Eunice Apacible-Mencias, M.A.
- James Robert Jarynowski, M.S.
- Lauren Crum Kline, M.S.
- Madison Page Lindemann, M.S.
- Molly Elizabeth Maxwell, M.A.
- Rebecca I. Hartzell, Ph.D.
- Ruth Massey, M.Ed.
- Stephanie L. Volk, M.Ed.

(d) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING REQUEST FOR ACCOMMODATIONS TO SIT FOR THE EPPP FROM TRAVIS WOOD MUNNERLYN, PSY.D.

(e) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO SIT FOR THE EPPP FROM MARIA M. MENDOZA-RODRIGUEZ, PSY.D.

(f) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME AND ACCOMMODATIONS TO SIT FOR THE EPPP FROM DEIDRA ANGULO, PSY.D.

7. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION RELATING TO INITIAL CASE REVIEW OF COMPLAINT NO. 18-08, MARK MAGIER, PSY.D.

Dr. Brundage provided a summary stating that the Complaint Screening Committee (Committee) reviewed this case and voted to forward it to the Board for further review of Dr. Magier's conduct in this case. The Complainant was not present. Dr. Magier and his attorney, Charles Hover, III, Esq., were present. Mr. Hover requested to speak, made a statement and answered Board members' questions. Dr. Magier answered Board members' questions. Mr. Hover stated that he and Dr. Magier are aware of the Committee's concerns. In response to the concerns raised by the Committee Dr. Magier completed additional continuing education. The Board expressed concern regarding Dr. Magier's communication with the client in this case. After deliberation, Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to move Complaint No. 18-08 to an Informal Interview for possible violations of A.R.S. §32-2061(16)(o) for possibly providing services that are unnecessary or unsafe or otherwise engaging in activities as a psychologist that are unprofessional by current standards of practice; A.R.S. §32-2061(dd) for possibly violating an ethical standard adopted by the board as it pertains to the American Psychological Association Ethical Principles of Psychologists and Code of Conduct 5.06, In –Person Solicitation and 6.04, Fees and Financial Arrangements. The motion carried 9-0 on a roll call vote.

8. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ACTION TAKEN AGAINST EDMUND NADOLNY, PH.D. PSYCHOLOGY LICENSE BY THE MINNESOTA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY

Ms. Broaddus provided a summary stating that the Board office received information regarding disciplinary action taken by the Minnesota Board of Psychology on Dr. Nadolny's psychology license. Dr. Nadolny is currently under a Consent Agreement and Order with the Minnesota Board of Psychology. Board members discussed Dr. Nadolny's conduct in this matter. After deliberation, Dr. Flowers made a motion to open a Complaint against Dr. Nadolny. The motion died due to lack of a second. It was the consensus of the Board to take no action and requested that Dr. Nadolny keep the Board apprised of the matter with the Minnesota Board of Psychology.

9. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING REQUEST TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE BY WAIVER FROM TERRI LECHNYR, PH.D. AND/OR POSSIBLE DENIAL OF THE APPLICATION

Dr. Mellott provided a summary stating this application was reviewed by the Board's Application Review Committee (Committee). The Committee noted that Dr. Lechnyr's degree and internship do not meet statutory requirements. Additionally, the Committee noted that Dr. Lechnyr did not complete practicum experience in her doctoral program. Board members' discussed Dr. Lechnyr's application and her request to withdraw her application. After deliberation, Dr. Flowers made a motion, seconded by Mr. Donaldson, to allow Dr. Lechnyr to withdraw her application. The motion carried -5-4 on a roll call vote with Dr. Bohanske, Dr. Davey, Dr. Mellott and Ms. Shreeve voting no.

10. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO SIT FOR THE EPPP AND LICENSURE FROM STEVEN NICKOLAISEN, PH.D.

Dr. Mellott recused from reviewing this agenda item. Dr. Flowers provided a summary stating that Dr. Nickolaisen's application was forwarded to the Board due to lack of a quorum at the Application Review Committee. Board members' proceeded with a substantive review of Dr. Nickolaisen's application. After deliberation, Dr. Flowers made a motion, seconded by Mr. Donaldson, to approve Dr. Nickolaisen to sit for the EPPP and for licensure upon a passing score and payment of the prorated license fee. The motion carried 8-0-1 with Dr. Mellott recused.

11. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE FIRST QUARTERLY REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE PRACTICE MONITOR RELATING TO THE CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER FOR JAMIE MATANOVICH, PH.D.

Ms. Jones provided a summary stating that the Board office received Dr. Matanovich's first quarterly report and it was noted that the Practice Monitor expressed some concerns with Dr. Matanovich. Dr. Matanovich was present, requested to speak, made a statement and answered Board members' questions. After deliberation, Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Mr. Donaldson, to request that Dr. Matanovich and her Practice Monitor attend the next in-person Board meeting if the Practice Monitor expresses concerns in the second quarterly report. The motion carried 9-0.

12. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER PERTAINING TO COMPLAINT NO. 18-11, MICHAEL JOHNSON, PH.D. AND POSSIBLE MOTION TO VACATE THE INFORMAL INTERVIEW

Ms. Jones provided a summary stating that at a previous meeting the Board forwarded Complaint No. 18-11 to an Informal Interview. At the meeting, the Board discussed allowing Dr. Johnson to enter into a Consent Agreement and Order in resolution of the Complaint. Board staff and Dr. Johnson's attorney, Mandi Karvis, Esq., drafted a Proposed Consent Agreement and Order. Dr. Johnson was not present but Ms. Karvis was present telephonically. The Board discussed the Proposed Consent Agreement and Order and requested that the section regarding continuing education be modified to stipulate that Dr. Johnson complete a percentage of the continuing education by attending in-person courses, workshops or seminars. Additionally, the Board requested that the Proposed Consent Agreement and Order specify continuing education in ethics and boundary issues. After deliberation, Dr. Bohanske made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers, to modify the Proposed Consent Agreement and Order and to vacate the Informal Interview. The motion carried 9-0 on a roll call vote.

13. NEW AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

There were no new items for future meetings.

17. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Board, Mr. Donaldson made a motion, seconded by Dr. Brundage, to adjourn the meeting at 9:26 a.m. The motion carried 9-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Diana Davis-Wilson, DBH, BCBA
Secretary